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Application of: Kwoh et al.

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Level

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Mail Stop AMENDMENT

Commissioner for Patents

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TRANSMITTAL LETTER & PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME
UNDER 37 C.F.R. §1.136(a)

Sir:

Transmitted herewith are: [X] a Response under 37 C.F.R. §1.111 (w/fee of \$510.00 pursuant to 37 C.F.R. §1.17(a)(3)) (check#_6700_); [X] a Declaration pursuant to 37 C.F.R. §1.132 (w/ Exhibits A-E); [X] a return receipt postcard, for filing in the above-captioned patent application.

FEE FOR ADDITIONAL CLAIMS

[X] A fee for additional claims is not required.

[] A fee for additional claims is required. The additional fee has been calculated as shown below:

	CLAIMS REMAINING AFTER AMENDMENT	HIGHEST NUMBER PREVIOUSLY PAID FOR	NUMBER OF EXCESS CLAIMS	RATE	FEES DUE
TOTAL CLAIMS	<u>9</u>	<u>20</u>	<u>0</u>	× \$25	= 0.00
INDEPENDENT	<u>1</u>	<u>3</u>	<u>0</u>	× \$100	= 0.00
FIRST INTRODUCTION OF MULT. DEPENDENT CLAIM				+\$180	= 0.00
TOTAL FEES DUE					= 00.00

[X] Small entity status has previously been established for Applicant(s) in this case.

PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME

- [X] Extension is requested under 37 C.F.R. §1.136(a), and the following extension fee is applicable for the paper(s) filed herewith:
- [] \$60.00 for response within first month pursuant to 37 C.F.R. §1.17(a)(1);
 - [] \$225.00 for response within second month pursuant to 37 C.F.R. §1.17(a)(2);
 - [X] **\$510.00 for response within third month pursuant to 37 C.F.R. §1.17(a)(3);**
 - [] \$795.00 for response within fourth month pursuant to 37 C.F.R. §1.17(a)(4);
 - [] \$1080.00 for response within fifth month pursuant to 37 C.F.R. §1.17(a)(5).
- [X] A check in the amount of [] \$60.00 [] \$225.00 [X] **\$510.00** [] \$795.00 [] \$1080.00 in payment of the extension fee is transmitted herewith.
- [] The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge the extension fee of [] \$60.00 [] \$225.00 [] \$510.00 [] \$795.00 [] \$1080.00 to Deposit Account No. 50-0268. A duplicate copy of this transmittal letter is transmitted herewith.
- [X] The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge payment of any additional fees required in connection with the paper(s) transmitted herewith, or to credit any overpayment of same, to Deposit Account No. 50-0268. A duplicate copy of this transmittal letter is transmitted herewith.

Respectfully submitted,



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CERTIFICATE OF MAILING

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November 25, 2005
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